Reps Jones, Prosperous Farmer and Tobacco Raiser, Kills Himself in His Home.

NO CAUSE KNOWN FOR DEED

Boy Painfully Injured When He Falls From Wheel and End of Handlebar Is Forced Down His Throat—Merchants Elect Officers.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] PETERSBURG, VA., February 16 --The body of Reps Jones was found in his room of his home near Charlie Hope, in Brunswick County, early this morning with a gunshot wound in the right temple. The body was warm when discovered by his colored cook, who went to awaken him, but life was extinct. Jones was one of the most prosperous farmers of Brunswick Count?, a bachelor and successful tobacco raiser. He soid the bulk of his crop in this city last week. No reason is assigned for his sulcide.

Boy Painfully Hurt.

A singular but painful accident befell Master Herbert Bishop, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bishop, on Harrison Street yesterday afternoon. While riding his bicycle the little fellow fell or was thrown from the wheel, and the end of the handlebar, from which the wood had been removed, went down his throat, severing an went down his throat, severing an artery. He was taken to the hospital, where an operation was performed by Drs. Reunie and McGill. The boy is reported as getting on all right to-

Officers Elected. .

The newly elected board of directors f the Retail Merchants' Association as elected officers of that hody for has elected officers of that body for the year as follows: president, William II. Willicov, first vice-president, L. A. Rosenstock, second vicepresident, R. T. Matteson, treasurer, W. Y. Burge; sec-citary, Samuel W. Zimmer. The new-board of directors is composed of the following members: W. E. Armstrong, T. S. Beckwith, Jr., E. R. Bowman, W. Y. Burge, E. Elgenbown, R. A. Gondy, George W. Harrison, J. O. James, J. I. Joyner, Moses Lovenstein, R. T. Gondy, George W. Harrison, J. O. James, J. I. Joyner, Moses Lovenstein, R. T. Matteson, L. A. Rosenstock, E. H. Titmut and William H. Willcox. These are all business men who take an active interest in the work of the asso-

Amateur Baseball.

A meeting of citizens will be held in the Red Men's Hall to-morrow night for the purpose of reviving interest in baseball and to organize an association for the advancement of the sport. It is desired to place Petersburg on the same footing with other cities in this respect. Two years ago a very strong amateur baseball association was organized with several teams but at the Enalted baseball association was or-ganized with several teams, but at the close of the season interest declined, and was not re-leed last year. It is expected to revive interest this year. There is plenty of good material in the city to form several fine teams.

Flying Squadron Speakers

WITH ITS SKULL CRUSHED

Attempt Evidently Had Been Made With Finmes to Wipe Out Traces of Crime.

Special to The Times-Dispatch 1 THE neighborhood of White Oak, in ed County, has been greatly d by the finding of a white female in the woods near that place.
Ild was only about two days old idently had been killed by a blow head which crushed the skull, sdy also had the appearance of an

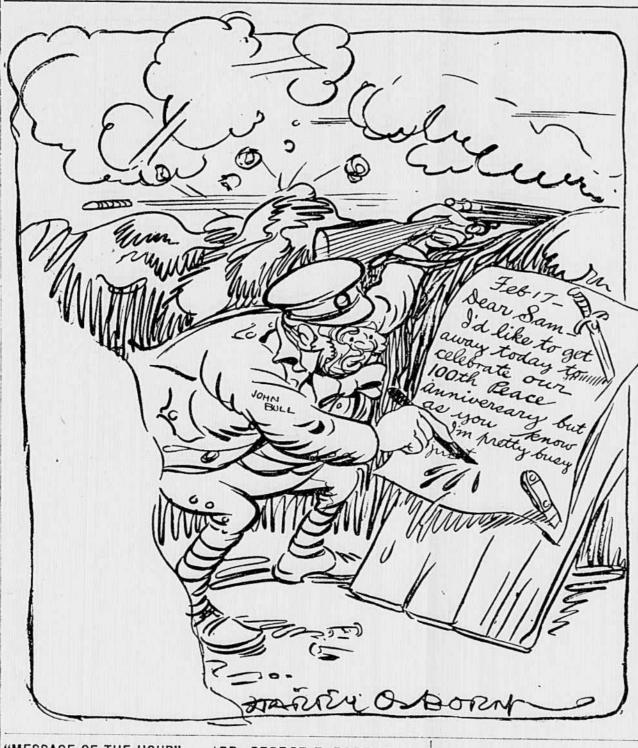
by having been made to burn it.
In inquest was held by Magistrate Lee
Wallace, coroner. The body was temporarily buried in a nearby field. There
was nothing on the clothing in which
the child was wrapped to give any clue.

Goodhland County Suncured Brings Top of Market.

New record high prices were made on e floor of Crenshaw's warehouse yes-day in the sale of suncured tobacco. mazer & Tompkins sold for F. L. Payne. manager of Thomas S. Winston's farm in Goochland County, a shipment of Virginia suncured tobacco which brought the following prices: Eighty-five pounds at 25 cents, 210 pounds at 22 cents, 455 pounds at 18½ cents, 270 cents, 455 pounds at 18½ cents, 270

Yan Pelt, survive him.

A MESSAGE FROM THE TRENCHES



"MESSAGE OF THE HOUR"

ls Convention Time Is Ripe for World-Wide Evangelization, by Reason of European War.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., February 16 .-"The Message of the Hour," as outlined by John R. Mott, chairman of the con-Dr. Wilbur Sheridan, of the Flying Squadron, will speak in behalf of the temperance cause at the Washington Street M. E. Church on Thursday afternioon. He will be accompanied by the vocal soloist, Frederick Butler, who is represented to be a very fine singer. The object of the speakers of the several groups of the Flying Squadron now touring the country, is to arouse sentiment in favor of nationwide prohibition. tinuance committee of the world's mis-

PRESIDENT HORBS RESIGNS
AS HEAD OF GULLFORD COLLEGE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
GREENSBORO, N. C., February 16.—
President L. I. Hobbs has resigned as had of Gullford College, and will be see eded at the end of the school year in the Thomas Newlin, now president whittier College, Pasadene, Cal., forgerly dean of Gullford. Dr. Hobbs has been president of Gullford thirty years, and is one of the State's prominent educators. His successor is a splendidly equipped man.

RECORD TOBACCO PRICES

When Policeman Brennan came upon G. W. Martin sitting on the curbing G. W. Martin sitting G. W. Martin sittin

character suspected of the theft.

Mrs. Long did not know she had been robbed until Policeman Brennan called at her home, in response to a telephone call sent by a neighbor who had seen a man climbing over Mrs. Long's back fence. The office speeded to the house, where he was told nothing was amiss. He went around to the side of the house, with the intention of examining the rear of the premises, when he came upon Martin and the hen. Martin will be arraigned in the Police Court to-day.

Receives Call to New York.

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LYNCHBURG, VA., February 16.—
Rev. Carter Helm Jones, D. D., formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church at Seattle, Wash., has been chosen for the pastor of the First Baptist Church at Seattle, Wash., has been chosen for the pastor of the Seattle, Wash., has been chosen for the pastor of the First Baptist Church, New York City, and if he decides to act favorably he will be given a unanimous call to the pulpit. Although forty years established, Calvary Baptist Church has had but one pastor, Rev. Church has had but one pastor, Rev. Carter Helm Jones, D. D., formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church, New York City, and if he decides to act favorably he will be given a unanimous call to the pulpit. Although forty years established, Calvary Baptist Church has had but one pastor, Rev. Carter Helm Jones, D. D., formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and for more than two years pastor of the First B resigned in 1911.

ESSAGE OF THE HOUR" OR. GEORGE F. ROGERS HEADS CONFERENCE

Done in Virginia for Charities and Corrections.

MISS BEARDSLEY MAKES TALK

She Tells What Has Been Accomplished in Richmond by the Trav-

alone in large cities.

about the realization of a plan whereby ticket agents will have a watchful eye for young people, and especially girls, who are traveling alone. The society hopes to be able to have a uniform button, or badge, issued with each rall-road ticket sold to girls traveling alone, to be displayed by them on their garments.

Dr. Mastin at the close of Miss Beardsley's address, complimented her before the conference on the work she is doing in Richmond which is of untold good, he said.

moment and rescue from the pitfalls that await the girls who are traveling

It is the aim of the society to bring

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INDORSEMENT IS GIVEN TO SHIP-PURCHASE BILL

North Carolina Legislature Lines Up Behind Administration, With But One Dissenting Voice.

"SLAP IN FACE OF KITCHIN"

Senator Denies Charge That Action

RALEIGH, N. C., February 16 .- A Joint resolution, introduced in the Senate by Senator Ward, and in the House by Representative Grier, of Iredell, passed both branches of the Legisla-ture to-day indorsing the administration ship-purchase bill now pending in the United States Senate. It passed the House without opposition, but in the Senate, Senator McMichael pro-nounced the resolution a "slap in the face" for Congressman Claude Kitchin, Senator Ward denied that anything of the sort was intended but insisted that the sort was intended, but insisted that he and the North Carolina Legislature have the right to differ with Congressman Kitchin on any measure of public policy. Mr. McMichael's vote was the only one against the resolution in the

Senator Weaver withdrew his child labor bill under favorable minority re-port from its special order place on the calendar for noon to-day, with the statement that he would call it statement that he would call it up later and will contend for provision this session for factory inspection. It is learned that the withdrawal was at the suggestion of Governor Craig, who believes that the advocates of advance in child labor legislation and the manufacturers can reach an agreement within a few days that will settle the

A bill by Senator Cooper, of New Hanover, to authorize written agreements that a debtor will pay the 10 per cent commission to a lawyer for collection in the event a creditor finds it necessary to place his claim in hands of an attorney, provided the really strenuous feature of the day in the Senate, and in the end brought from Senator Cooper a motion to table his Senator Cooper a motion to table his own bill, which carried unanimously. Senator McMichael, Senator Speight, Senator White and numbers of others pronounced the bill extremely danger-ous, and McMichael said it was a means of exacting "blood money from

the poor debtor class."

Senator Majette introduced the four sons.

Farmers' Union bill for segregation of farm lands between the races. It would amend the Constitution if ratified at the polls next election. A duplicate bill was introduced in the House by

pose severe penalties for making false statements or starting reports about the standing of any bank.

There probably will be a bill to prevent the use of the term "trust" in the name of any company not engaged in the actual banking business under the supervision of the Corporation Com-

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peddling numbers about the streets, day at the Jefferson Hospital in Rean-They will be arraigned in the Police oke. The body was brought here on

DEATHS IN VIRGINIA

Edward Vernon Palmer.

Edward Vernon Palmer.
Funeral services for Edward Vernon
Palmer, seventy-one years old, who died
at his home, were conducted at 3 o'clock
Sunday afternoon by Rev. J. Francis
Riddle and Rev. Thomas Semmes, in St.
Andrews' Episcopal Church. Interment
was in Hollywood Cemetery.
For many years Mr. Delmas men.

Taylor, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Margaret W. Connor. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ALEXANDRIA, VA., February 16.— he funeral of Mrs. Margaret W. Connor, sixty-nine years old, who died on Sunday, took place this afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs.

Louise E. Lindner.

wife survives.

William H. Hunter.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ALEXANDRIA. VA., February 16.funeral of William H. Hunter, at moulder in the Washington Navy-Yard, sixty-five years old, who died on Suntook place this afternoon. His

Thomas H. Clayton. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HEATHSVILLE, VA., February 16 .-Thomas H. Clayton died last week at his home near Lancaster. It was in White Marsh cemetery.

William H. Smith.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HEATHSVILLE, VA., February 16.-William H. Smith died on Sunday. Fu neral and interment were at Toluskey see a vast difference in my feelings. Church. Besides his widow Mr. Smith leaves nine children, five daughters and four sons.

William Linkous.

farm lands between the races. It would amend the Constitution if ratified at the poils next election. A duplicate bill was introduced in the House by Dr. Carr, of Duplin.

The House spent over two hours discussing the Seawell bill to provide State regulation of fire insurance rates, but adjourned without reaching a vote."

William Linkous.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BLACKSBURG, VA., February 16.—
William Linkous, seventy years old, a native and for many years a resident of Montgomery County, died suddenly on Saturday afternoon while driving from town to the home of relatives near Ellett, where he had been visiting. After funeral services on Monday morning at the home of a newhew. We have been regular and with-BANKERS HAVE BILLS
THEY WISH PASSED
There are five bills that the North Carolina Bankers' Association will undertake to press through the Legislature at this session. Chief among them is a bill to authorize 8 per cent interest on loans, where there is agreement in writing between the parties. Another bill would specify a penalty for false pretenses on the making of false statements in efforts to obtain a loan from a bank. Still another would impose severe penalties for mother than the form of the statements in efforts to obtain a loan from a bank. Still another would impose severe penalties for mother than the function of the false pretenses on the making of false statements in efforts to obtain a loan from a bank. Still another would impose severe penalties for mother than the function of the function

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BLACKSBURG, VA., February 16.— Mrs. Samuel Johnson, of Roanoke Valley, Montgomery County, died on Sun-

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which never disappoints and cannot burn the skin.

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Court to-day.

Charged With Shooting.

Policeman Tate yesterday arrested Jess Johnson on a warrant sworn out against the man in October, 1914, and charging him with shooting Annie Mitchell. The man will be given a hearing in the Police Court to-day.

Oke. The body was brought here on Tuesday morning and burial was made in the Blacksburg Cemetery, Rev. D. J. Woods, of the Presbyterian Church, conducting the service. Mrs. Johnson before her marriage was Miss Ella Barnett, of Montgomery County. She spent the sixty-eight years of her life in this community. She is survived by three sons, Marion, James and Baxter Johnson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HARRISONBURG, VA., February 16.— The funeral of Mrs. J. H. Wolfe, fifty-The funeral of Mrs. J. H. Woife, fifty-seven years old, was conducted on Mon-Jay afternoon from the home in Elkton, Rockingham County. Services were conducted by Rev. H. M. Strickler, of Luray. Her husband, Dr. Wolfe, a prominent physician, died in 1904. Her father, DeWitt Coffman, was a prominent citizen of the county. Her mother, Christina Harnsberger, was descendant of an officer of the Revolutionary War. Mrs. Wolfe leaves one brother, Dr. W. H. Coffman, of Richmond; a sister, Mrs. was in Hollywood Cemetery.
For many years Mr. Palmer was a vestryman and a devoted worker in St. Andrew's Church. His funeral was largely attended by hts associates in the congregation. Mr. Palmer was a son of the late Vernon and Mrs. Elizabeth Gibbs Palmer, of Gloucester County, and was connected with numerous families of prominence.
He was a member of the Twenty-Sixth Virginia Infantry, and served as sergeant of Company B throughout the War Between the States. Mr. Palmer is survived by a brother, William H. Palmer; two sons, Edward H. and Charles L., and four daughters, Grace E. and Pearl Palmer, of Richmond; and Mrs. L. R. Hancock, of Norfolk, and Mrs. L. R. Hancock, of Norfolk, and Mrs. E. M. Taylor, of Lynchburg.

MISERY IN **HEAD AND BACK**

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ture of health since taking Cardui. I will recommend it to every suffering woman."

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